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The daylight saving bill worked all right in this part of the country. It came on Sunday and that is naturally a day of rest and adjustment.

It is taken for granted that the eminent Judge Goff, on account of his great age and infirmities, will not offer to succeed himself in the United States Senate.

Dr. Collins offered the school a number of prizes for the best essays on the teeth. The winners of these essays were as follows: 8th grade, Thursa Marshall; 7th grade, Lambert Collins; 6th and 5th grades, Starling Rosley, Dolly Payne Hiner; 4th grade, Ruth Atkins, Rosa Reda; 3rd grade, Laetitia White, Gertrude Kincaid; 2nd grade, Virginia Hiner; Zenith Jordan received the prize in the first grade.

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The young Major was born with a silver spoon in his mouth, and that is a great handicap to the vote-getter. Six years ago they said that he was too young, so when he deadlocked the legislature, they flew to the other extreme and picked out Judge Goff.

We look to see the elections this year sane and sober affairs. What the candidate lacks in glory he will save in hide and hair. There is a war on and all our faces are turned to the common enemy, we have neither time nor inclination to fight with any great heat among ourselves.

Russia fell under its own weight. It is hard to tell whether Germany will find it an asset or a liability. Whether Germany will have to feed Russia or Russia feed Germany.

Russia had a sprinkling of crazy people who thought they were artists. They thought they were builders, instead of knowing that they were

wreckers. They have had a fine time playing with the big machinery. In the language of satire, Russia is described in what purports to be a translation of Russian poetry:

"Yesterday evening frogs barked, the nightingales sang, Everything was joyful, I sang and barked too: Today it is raining, the samavor is cold, I will go into the garden and eat worms."

DURBIN SCHOOL

The Durbin Graded School closed March 21 with an enrollment of 97. Per cent of attendance, boys, 98; girls 99. Those receiving certificates of perfect attendance were Hope

The boys and girls are to be complimented for their faithful attendance and the large amount of work that was done. Personally, I consider that this has been a very successful term of school, and not the least of this success is due to the boys and girls themselves for their faithfulness and loyalty to the school, and to the patrons who lent their assistance and who cooperated with the teachers in the school work.

Besides having regular class work, we had with us at various times Rev. Mr. Withers of the Methodist Church and Rev. J. P. Atkins of the M. E. and Mrs. Collins, Hull, and Burner, who gave us a number of interesting talks along various lines of school work.

Under the direction of Dr. Harriet B. Jones a Modern Health Crusader's League was formed with an enrollment of twenty-three members. All of these received silver pins, and most of them gold pins. I consider this organization a splendid means for forming habits among boys and girls who become its members.

This school united with the Tanners school and organized a Junior Red Cross Society. Mrs. H. E. White was chosen as chairman, Mrs. Rivercomb, treasurer, and Helen Burner, local secretary.

The people here are very eager to have their children in school, and so have hired Miss Poling to continue the school a month longer. She has an enrollment of forty pupils.

MINGO AND MACE

Our community seems to be rather back in the line of publicity, so for the benefit of those who think these towns have been effaced from the map, we will try and give them a few notes.

Plowing is the order of the day. Wheat looks as though it might be a failure. Spring has made her appearance, likewise ramps, and from the odors which are much in evidence, we can guess that our people are getting as many as the law allows them.

School closed at Mace Thursday 21st inst. and a very interesting program was rendered. The debate was particularly interesting and a lasting impression has been made upon our minds that the world is actually growing morally better.

We have been informed that W. F. J. Mace will finish cutting timber within the next few days. This will substantiate the fact that Messrs. Luke & Doyle are efficient log cutters.

Miss Mary Crummett has been visiting friends at Mace the past week. W. I. Friel, will in the next few days move to Slaty Fork where he will take full charge of the Spruce Lumber Co's. farm. Mr. Friel will be assisted by Frank Wood and Andrew Crummett.

J. L. Wood has lately moved from Mingo to the Scott farm near Valley Head.

Hare Ware of Spangler, was in our community Saturday.

The recent high water did considerable damage to roads in this section. However, they are being speedily repaired under the supervision of Mr. Leary.

M. Z. Ayers has purchased the Logan property near Valley Head and will farm on a large scale the coming season.

Frank Tracy has moved in the house at Mace, lately vacated by John Louk, Jr. Mr. Louk having moved to Sharp, a small town on the head waters of Big Run.

Mrs. Tom Beale, Mrs. R. W. Moore and children, and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Coff were guests at the home of J. L. Coff, Sunday.

James Baker was in town Saturday. H. S. Hamrick has recently sold his property in Mingo to Mrs. Jones, and will locate in Valley Head where he will open a blacksmith shop.

James Smith is seriously ill with pneumonia. Dr. Cameron is in attendance.

Miss Taylor of Linwood attended the debate at Mace Thursday night.

We are awaiting with eagerness the coming of April 1st and the open season for trout, when with that "roughish" feeling once more we can like to some stream and there basket our lawful limit of speckled beauties.

Everett Sharp, is at home after working sometime at the lumber camp.

We have been informed that Prof. O. R. Kyle will teach a normal school at Valley Head this spring. Prof. Kyle is an efficient instructor and we hope he will have a large attendance.

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A LETTER FROM FRANCE

The following is a letter from Lieut. D. K. Flynn, son of Col. James Flynn, of the Spice Run Lumber Company. He is one of four brothers in the service:

France, Jan. 18, 1918.

Dear Mother: Today I received a most welcome letter from you. It was dated November 14th, yet tonight I feel as though just today I had seen each dear one of you.

I am quite sure you would not know me now. I am getting heavier and the constant outdoor life, and a rigorous one it is too, is developing me both in mind and body.

Army work in time of war is a real man's work. Before dawn the clear notes of the bugle are sounding first and presently reveille is blown.

It is good for the soul to see how keenly the rank and file take hold, how rapidly they are developing into efficient fighting men.

Nichols fairly radiates good humor, and inertia bees from him as from a pestilence. A lazy man can't bear with without wanting to go out and build a Cheops pyramid or dig a Panama canal.

I am feeling splendidly all the time and dead in love with my plans for the immediate future. This seems to be a rather blood-thirsty state of mind to be in, don't it? But you know what I mean.

I am an instructor in the new art of war. My course at the French school was a wonderful experience. The French are so thorough and skillful in all things pertaining to war.

My mother, you would be very much interested in seeing me work in the capacity of a "school marm."

After this to bed and rest until the morning. So the days are passing all too soon, for all we learn how much one day be put into actual practice.

My letter breathes the spirit of helplessness; without them I would be very miserable, but with them and looking for them each day I am strengthened and fortified.

Affectionately, "TED."

ROLAND A. NICHOLS.

Much interest has been aroused by the announcement that among the noted lecturers who will appear here this season is Roland A. Nichols, the discoverer of Harold Bell Wright, whose novels consistently lead the "best sellers."



Nichols' claim to distinction, however, does not rest upon that notable incident, for he is in his own right one of the popular lecturers of the present day—a man of fine personality.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Council of the Town of Marlinton: That from and after the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to keep, own or harbor, within the corporate limits of the Town of Marlinton, any cow, or other animal of cattle kind, having horns.

The Sergeant shall, upon learning of any violations of this Ordinance, immediately take up and confine any such animal at the expense of the owner. Any person, firm or corporation violating this Ordinance shall, in addition to the costs of keeping such animal, be fined One Dollar for each day the offense shall continue.

On and after April 1st I shall enforce the curfew ordinance.

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Trustee's Sale

Pursuant to authority vested in the undersigned as trustee in bankruptcy of the estate of F. Hamed, of Cass, West Virginia, I will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder on

FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 1918 at 1-30 p. m., at the front door of the Court-House of Pocahontas County, Marlinton, West Virginia, the following described real estate, to-wit:

One-half interest in the store building in the Town of Cass, West Virginia, known as the Hamed Stand. This is a large store house, with big ware room attached, and living rooms overhead.

Also two lots adjoining the above described property. On these lots is located a good barn.

This property is well located on the east side of the river in the town of Cass.

Terms—CASH. J. E. BUCKLEY, Trustee of F. Hamed, Bankrupt.

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